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Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated August 2, 2001, Applicant's agent submits herewith an *executed* Declaration, Petition and Power of Attorney and a check totaling \$1,674.00 (which includes \$740.00 for the basic filing fee; \$804.00 for the additional claims fee; and \$130.00 for the surcharge) based on large entity status. A copy of the Formalities Letter is also enclosed.

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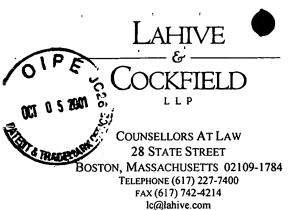
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Inventor: Larry I. Benowitz Filing Date: June 1, 2001

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Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith for filing in the above-identified application the following:

- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- 2. Executed Declaration, Petition and Power of Attorney;
- 3. Statement of Limited Recognition Under 37 C.F.R. §10.9(b);
- 4. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (Formalities Letter):
- 5. Check for \$1,674.00 (basic filing fee, additional claims fee and surcharge); and
- 6. Pre-paid acknowledgment postcard.

Please charge any necessary fees to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080. The undersigned requests any extensions of time necessary to respond. For this purpose, a duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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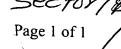
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$788.
 - \$468 for 26 total claims over 20.
 - \$320 for 4 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1628.

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